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2.	rece	iving Office in response to an invitation under Article 14 ar report): the international application as originally filed/furnished the description: pages 1,3-13				
		pages* _ 2	received by this Authority on	17.05.2005		
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	\boxtimes	the claims:				
		nos. 2-6,8-11		as originally filed/furnished		
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		sheets Fig. 1-7		as originally filed/furnished		
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Вох	Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement				
1.	Statement				
	Novelty (N)	Claims	1-6, 8-11	_ YES	
		Claims		_ NO	
	Inventive step (IS)	Claims	1-6, 8-11	YES	
		Claims		_ NO	
	Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1-6, 8-11	_ YES	
		Claims		_ NO	

- 2. Citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)
 - Document 1: Watanabe, J. et al., "Stereocomplex Formation by Enantiomeric Poly(lactic acid) Graft-Type Phospholipid Polymers for Tissue Engineering, Biomacromolecules, 2002, Vol. 3, No. 5, pages 1109 to 1114
 - Document 2: JP 2002-345455 A (Sumitomo Chemical Co., Ltd.), 3 December 2002
 - Document 3: JP 07-135961 A (Sumitomo Bakelite Co., Ltd.), 30 May 1995

Claims 1 to 6 and 8 to 11

The inventions set forth in claims 1 to 6 and 8 to 11 are neither disclosed nor suggested in documents 1 to 3, and are therefore novel and involve an inventive step in relation to documents 1 to 3.

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Box	No. VI Certain documents cited				
1.	Certain published documents (Rule 70.10)				
	Application No. Patent No.	Publication date (day/month/year)	Filing date (day/month/year)	Priority date (valid claim) (day/month/year)	
	WO 04/89434 A1	21.10.2004	08.04.2004	10.04.2003	
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2.	Non-written disclosures (Rule 70.9)				
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